Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 07 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 07 Aug 2024 at 03:41

Confidence: High for changeable weather to continue into the weekend. Very low confidence in detail for the weekend itself with the potential for heavy rain.

Headline for Wednesday 07 Aug 2024: Often cloudy with a few showers. Windy on high summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 07 Aug 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG				FOG
Fog	Fog	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Fog
Precipitation probability					
40%	30%	20%	10%	10%	40%

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Weather: Often cloudy in the morning with a few mainly light showers, these largely in the west. A few bright or sunny spells likely at times, mainly in the east of the range and more especially in the afternoon. Becoming more widely cloudy into the evening along with a chance of drizzle on western slopes. Strong, gusty winds.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% across the Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa range, increasing to 60% between mid-afternoon and early evening. 80% elsewhere throughout.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud on western slopes of the Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa range 500-700m from morning until mid-afternoon, then occasional patches until early evening. A few broken patches of cloud around 800-900m elsewhere throughout. Away from cloud, generally very good visibility, occasionally a few kilometres in showers though.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	34/40 SW	31/37 SW	30/38 SW	28/36 SW	25/33 SW	25/32 SW	24/31 SW
600	24/29 SW	24/30 SW	24/32 SW	22/29 SW	20/27 SW	17/23 SW	17/23 SW
300	15/25 SW	16/26 SW	18/29 SW	16/26 SW	14/23 SW	12/22 SW	12/21 SW
Valley	15/24 SW	16/25 SW	17/29 SW	15/26 SW	13/22 SW	12/22 SW	11/21 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	8/3	8/4	9/4	9/4	9/5	9/4	9/4
600	10/6	11/7	12/8	12/8	12/8	11/8	11/7
300	13/10	14/11	14/11	15/12	14/12	13/10	13/11
Valley	14/12	15/12	16/13	17/14	16/14	14/12	14/12
Freezing Level*	2300m	2200m	2000m	2100m	2300m	2700m	3100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A windy day with speeds approaching gale force on the higher summits. Feeling cold where exposed to the wind.

Forecast for Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Weather: An overcast, wet and windy day. Persistent and occasionally heavy rain and drizzle at times, especially on western slopes.

Maximum wind: South to southwesterly 30-35 mph with gusts to 40-45 mph on the higher tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Less than 10%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Generally misty with often poor visibility in rain or drizzle and widespread cloud down to 300 to 500 metres throughout the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 rising to 19 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 10 rising to 14 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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